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 The Applicant respectfully submits that in light of the above comments and remarks, all
claims are now in allowable condition. The Applicant thus respectfully requests timely
10 allowance of all of the pending claims.

 In the event the Examiner wishes to discuss any aspect of this response, or believes that a
conversation with either Applicant or Applicant's representative would be beneficial the
Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number indicated
15 below.

 The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or
credit overpayment to the attached credit card form. In particular, if this response is not
timely filed, the Commissioner is authorized to treat this response as including a petition
20 to extend the time period pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) requesting an extension of time of
the number of months necessary to make this response timely filed. The petition fee due
in connection therewith may be charged to deposit account no. 50-2691 if a credit card
form has not been included with this correspondence or if the credit card could not be
charged.

 Respectfully submitted,



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